In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand.—In the matter of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925, and the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942; and in the matter of the South Canterbury Chaffcutters' award, dated the 1st day of December, 1942, and recorded in 42 Book of Awards 1453.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942 and of every other power in that behalf thereunto enabling it, this

Court, for the purpose of giving effect to the pronouncement made by it on the 15th day of August, 1947, doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said award (as amended by order of the Court dated the 6th day of February, 1946) shall be further amended by deleting clause 4, and substituting therefor the following clause:—

"Rates of Pay

"4. T	he mir	nimum	rates	of	pay	shall	be	as	follows :
"(a)	Where	seven	men	are	empl	loyed-	_	Pe	er 100 Bags.

"(b) Where six men are employed—

 "Driver
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 4 $5\frac{1}{2}$

 "Feeder
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 "Ordinary hands
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" (c) On three knife-cutters employing one man less, as provided in clause 2 (b) hereof—Per 100 Bags.

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"(d) When cutting straw chaff, 1s. 4d. extra per hundred

bags shall be paid to each hand employed.

"(e) Where men are engaged under this award for a week or less they shall be paid a minimum of 19s. 7d. for each day upon which work is done if and when the piece-rate earnings provided herein do not exceed the said minimum.

"(f) All men employed shall be provided with food and

accommodation.

- " (g) The minimum rate of pay for cooks shall be £4 18s. per week and they shall be supplied with food and accommodation."
- 2. That this order shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of December, 1947.

Dated this 5th day of March, 1948.

[L.S.] A. TYNDALL, Judge.

MEMORANDUM

This amendment gives effect to an agreement of the representatives of the parties.

The rates of remuneration prescribed in the award are not to be increased by the application of the provisions of the Court's general orders of 9th August, 1940, and 31st March, 1942.

A. TYNDALL, Judge.